



**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

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**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-captioned application.**

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application

Application Number	09/434,196
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Group Art Unit	1636
Examiner Name	W. Sandals
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1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114				
a.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Previously submitted		
i.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____ (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered.)		
ii.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____		
b.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Enclosed		
i.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Petition for Extension of Time		
ii.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Response		
2. Miscellaneous				
a.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Suspension of action on the above-captioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed three months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)		
3. Fees				
The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.				
a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Fees are calculated as follows:	<b>TOTAL \$1360</b>	05/13/2003 SSESHE1 00000132 09434196 01 FC:2801 375.00 0P
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Applicant claims small entity status (37 C.F.R 1.27)		
i.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RCE BASIC FEE	\$ 375	
ii.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	EXTENSION FEES	\$ 985	
b.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Checks in the amount of \$375 and \$985 are enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any variance between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Docket A-65680-4; Our File 467135-156/RFT/NBC).		

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